PALMER REPLIES TO SENATE RESOLUTION

(Continued from First Page.) paper at any time, you will repay to us, up to the full amount of the principal that we may have advanced, any sums received by you in payment

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Feigenspan Statement.

bane and a number of brewers. Mr. appreciated.

The order to bring about the purchase of The Washington Times, I at various times advanced Mr. Brisbane, funds through the Growing Circulation Corporation, a corporation which believe is either owned or continuous the continuous fundamental forms of the continuous fundamental funda

The Konta letters which deal enirely with New York newspapers are as follows:

Copy.]

CONFIDENTIAL Capt. Hans Tauscher, 320 Broadway, New York city. My Friend Tauscher:

I wish to acquaint you confidenti-ally with a matter concerning Dr. Deraburg and myself, in which I am sure I need not emphasize my wish

STRAND TODAY AND TOMORROW-HIS BIRTHRIGHT."

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o-operation. The fact is I am unable to undestand his august excellency, nor why he should consider himself immune from contempt for not only ignoring the conventional courtesies, but ever the common decencies in his relations

the newspaper situation. I gave Mr. Palmer includes with his docu-ments Jetters from Alexander Konta to Capt, Hans Tauscher, a notorious dential, and set forth facts which I agent of German propagands in the should be very much annoyed to have come under the notice of anyone

yose in including them is evi-ly because Konta expressed the vidual opinion that the brewers greatly, and as I have determined might be interested in helping to support a newspaper which would follow their policies with regard to the liquor question.

greatly, and as I have getermined that I shall not write Dernburg again.

I am forced to call upon you. I should be deeply obliged if you could ascertain whether my letter has been received at all and what disposition A statement by Mr. Feigenspan, has been made of it. I must again repeat that it was written in deepest dated July 30, 1918, in explanation of the loan to Mr. Brisbane, and in addiwith which I would not have my with which I would not have my name associated on account of my name associated on account of my follows:

"Close and intimate associations with the press of New York. It may be just possible that you could recover the best of my recollection, the matter of The Washington Times became of mutual interest to Mr. Arthur Brisson in the matter will be deeply approximately the press of New York. It may be just possible that you could recover the original copy for me. I need not say that any service you can do for me in the matter will be deeply

Brisbane, as I have been informed by and ability by reason of which Dr. bernburg occupies his position, I for Vachington Times from Mr. Frank A. one, concluded from personal obser-Numsey for a sum which I recall as being \$500,000. The terms of this sale, and that he man is unpopular and that he has done little or noth-as I recall them, were that \$250,000 and that he has done little or nothing to induce the American people, was to be paid down, the balance to be paid in installments of \$50,000 and that he has done little or nothing to induce the American people, it would of course, be a great pleasure to me to be shown that I am wrong in this, but I doubt if it is possible.

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Sincerely yours,
ALEXANDER KONTA.

fected the financial status of several papers in this city, already made sufficiently precarious by the excessive competition of the last fifteen years or so. With the standard price of the American newspapers down to one penny, they have shown a serious lost on each copy sold, which has had to be met sufficiently out of advertising profits. The consequence has been, and this state of affairs continues, that most of the daily papers in New York new been published at an amount loss which has had to be met by constant loans in Wall Street, which, as a rule, is content to take its profits indirectly—in abstention from hostility to its doings, if not in positive support of them.

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positive support of them.

In the field of the evening newspapers conditions are bette. In fact, the morning papers publishing also AMUSEMENTS

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It is perhaps little to the purchase than a year ago, and its colour and the made his managing editor a present of \$10,000 out of the purchase of the m GARDEN TODAY AND TOMORROW—
THE CLUTCH OF CIRCUMSTANCE."

management it has spent money so recklessly that it is seriously embarraseed, but the "Evening Sun" is an increasingly sound business prop

osition.

What is true of the morning papers that issue no evening editions is also true of the independent evening true of the independent evening papers, that is, these that have no connection with a morning paper. The Globe" has cost its proprietors considerably more than \$1.000,000 already. The Evening Mail" has borrowed so much money that it can never show a real profit. "The Evening Post" is in desperate straits. This paper, undoubtedly the ablest newspaper in Americs, and probably also in the Americs, and probably also in the The Evening Mail.

mere skeleton of a newspaper with newspaper were contended for particular to compete with the compete with the compete with the Commercial Advertiser. It has now out of the purchase of Tribune. This is now out of the question. In ordinary circumstances a loss of its publication altogether. I mention is only as a last resort.

In the evening field we have as already said:

The Evening Post. The Evening Post. The Evening Mail.

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archol is reduced to an innecesous percentage.

These views I have advocated in public speeches, in editorials, and in articles signed with my name in different newspapers for more than twenty years, and in my own newspaper, the Washington Times, since my purchase of it.

Some look upon brewers as criminals, not to be dealt with. I look upon them as citiaens whose industry should be encouraged.

as in England and France. That industry, with concomitant sup-pression of whiskey, would solve

J believe my views on temper-nce will be vindicated through he experience of the nation in a present prohibition experi-

ment.

These slews are not new. They are as old as a letter to Charles Yancey written by Thomas Jefferson, 103 years ago.

son, 103 years ago.
Jefferson said:
There is before the assembly (of Virginia) a petition of a Captain Miller, which I have at heart, because I have great esteem for the petitioner as an honest and forceful man. He is about to settle in our country and to estate in our country and to estate the interest of the country and to estate the country and the country and

out of reach for any personal state-

the drink problem.



on foreign affairs; in fact, its field is deliverately local, and confined his hands. Whether the paper will be chiefly to the gay life of the town, sports, etc. It would have to be re-

The Evening Mail.

The Globe.

The first of these would give its new management at once an influence that can hardly be computed. Notwithstanding its small circulation, it reaches all the minds of the brewers and distillers of this country. It

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times through the Growing Circulation Corporation, a corporation which I believe is either owned or controlled by Mr. Brisbane. The aforesail funds were advanced on the dates and in the following manner:

ALEXANDER KONTA.

March 31, 1915.

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to found a new paper, organize its I shall be delighted to keep my own news service, find its editorial at Your Excellency's disposal in and business staff, establish connections you should desire further facts.

the war is open to serious doubt The New York Commercial is a mere skeleton of a newspaper, which has tried for years to compete with the Commercial Advertiser. It has no Associated Pages senting.

parts of the country, the editors of the advocate, but of the actual prohibiprovincial press accepting it as an unimpeachable authority, and following and liquors. A paper that would not be heatile to the personal liberty of the citizen to drink in moderation what he pleased could count upon the powerful support of the brewers and distillers, who command almost illim-itable capital, and what is more. means of giving the paper in ques-tion a circulation large enough to at-tract advertisers. Add to this a discreet appeal to every German society in the country for support by its

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Mr. Brisbanes Statement. In a page advertisement in the Post, printed on Thursday, Mr. Bris

Mr. A. Mitchell Palmer, on Saturday, declared that brewers had bought a Washington newspaper, and the New York Times telephoned me to ask if it were The Here are the facts for those in-

I have borrowed money on two occasions from friends of mine

occasions from friends of mine who are brewers.

In October, 1913, I secured a loan of \$180,000, and two years later, on January 6, 1916, several years before the loan matured, I repaid it in full with interest.

In June, 1917, I negotiated with Mr. Muney the purphase of the

Mr. Munsey the purchase of the Washington Times for \$500,000, I had to borrow money to pay Mr. Munsey \$250,000 on account of the purchase price, and an additional sum to finance the paper to the self-supporting stage.
Two hundred and fifty t sand dollars, the balance of

purchase price, I still owe Mr. Munsey, for which he holds as security my obligation and all the stock of the Washington Applied to Feigenspan.

I applied to Mr. C. W. Feigenspan, president of the Federal Trust Company of Newark, a friend of mine, and a brewer, for loan of the necessary amount. He agreed that he and friends of his would lend me what I might need up to \$500,000. It turned out that I could get

along with \$378,000, and that amount I borrowed in install-ments between June, 1917, and November, 1917. In due time, like the other loan, it will be repaid with interest I offered to give Mr. Pelgen-span, as security, a mortgage an real estate worth double the

This he declined as unneces-sary. He wrote me setting forth his understanding, stating that the money was lent for a period. of five years, to be paid at my convenience, and waiving the pay-ment of interest. I declined to accept the loan

without interest. In the course o, about two years, before ma-turity, this loan, like the previous loan, will be repaid in full with interest.

And I shall continue in future as for more than twenty years

past, to write against whiskey and drunkenness and in favor of light beer, wine and temperance. Thapletter referred to from Mr. Peigenspan reads as follows: (The letter is printed above.) My attitude on the temperance question is well known. For more than twenty years, oppos-ing the sale of whiskey I have advocated temperance, which I believe can be best promoted by forbidding the sale of all alco-bolic spirits, permitting only the manufacture and distribution of light wine and alor in which the

statements of the Beigian foreign minister, published here. The proposals, he was quoted as, saying, didn't mention a possible essation of hostilities.

PHONE OFFICIAL DEAD

BALTIMORE, Sept. 20 Edward Corrigan, general superintendent of traffic for the Chesapeake and Po-tomic Telephone Company, died early yesterday after an illness of several months, following an operation for tumor of the brain performed at Johns Hopkins Hospital last July. The position occupied by Mr. Corrigan with the telephone company was one of the most important in the entire system. As traffic manager he had supervision of all the operating forces in Maryland, the District Columbia west Viscopias and Virginia and Vi of Columbia, West Vinginia, and Virginia, and he was known to thousands of employer as a man of unsands in the control of the

PRESIDENT TO VOTE

President Wilson will cast his vote in the primaries at Princeton, N. J., next Tuesday, it was announced at the White House today. He will leave Washington early, Tuesday, morning and return that evening. He morning and return that evening. He will make no speeches during his absence, it was stated.

PITTSBURGH HOUSEWIFE the in our country, and to estab-lish a brewery, in which art I think him as skillful a man as has ever come to America. I wish to see this beverage become com-mon instead of the whiskey which Tells How Hard Working Women May Keep Well and Strong.

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The reason Vinol was so success-

ful in Mrs. Crocker's case is becaus

PEACE OFFER STILL NO REHEARING FOR T OPEN, SAYS VIENNA GROCER UNDER

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 20 .- "Austria-Hungary's offer is still open."

an official dispatch from Vienna received here today.

George N. Fries, grocer, at 98 Center, Market, found guilty of unfair practice The dispatch further stated that Foreign Secretary Balfour's recent under the ban by Herbert Hoovener

which he could not have made if he had accepted the proposed discus-

"Austria-Hungary's offer is still

LONDON, Sept. 20.-Germany's fer of a separate peace to Belgium was not formally made, according to

"They cannot be taken, as a basis for serious discussion," he declared, according to the dispatch.

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Clarence R. Wilson, District Food Administrator, stated today that the This statement was contained in District Administration would refuse any petition for a rehearing filed burns

tices in the sale of sugar and public Foreign Secretary Balfour's recent speech "contains rash conclusions regarding the central empire's attitude toward peace, which he could not have made if he had accepted the proposed discussion.

"From reports abroad, the rejection of the Austrian-Hungarian proposed cannot be doubted," the dispatch said.

"Official replies have not yet been received. Balfour's speech contains rash conclusions regarding the central empires' attitude toward peace, which he could not have made if he morning.

Interest in the Fries case is widen Interest in the Fries case is spread among Washington food dealers ers, as the rejection of his pies for a new hearing is taken as indicativent of the stand by the District Food Accessistant and violaters of the stand by the District Food Accessistant and violaters of the stand by the District Food Accessistant and property of the stand by the District Food Accessistant and property of the stand by the District Food Accessistant and property of the Standard Property ministration against all violaters the food control acts.

CAPTURE FOE STEAMER

LONDON, Sept. 20.—British forces. operating on the Archangel front in Russia have captured the enemy largest steamer on the Dvinn sixer, was officially announced today.

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